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DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132

We, Takuya ISHIDA, Yoshiyuki KAMIHARA and Fumitoshi WADA, citizens of Japan, hereby declare and state:

1. We are the inventors of the invention claimed in the claims of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/582,290.

2. We are the inventors of the subject matter disclosed in the portion of U.S. Patent No. 6,578,095 to Tanaka et al. identified in the March 26, 2004 Office Action in U.S. Patent Application 09/582,290, at page 2, item 2 of the Office Action.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and/or imprisonment under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing therefrom.

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